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1. Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US);
2. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney document;
3. Petition for Two (2) Month Extension of Time;
4. Return Postcard; and
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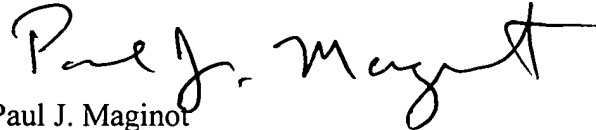
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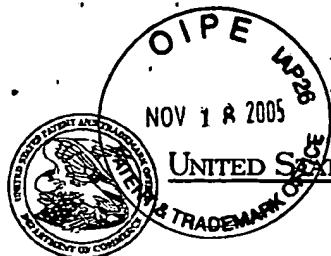
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 02/02/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 02/02/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 02/02/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 02/02/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 02/02/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 02/02/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 02/02/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
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